

# Western Carolinian

SALISBURY, ROWAN COUNTY, N. C. TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 1829.

At the request of many of our patrons, and in consideration of the pressure of the times, the proprietors of the Western Carolinian have been obliged to alter the terms of the paper, as follows:—  
Two dollars and a half per annum, or two dollars only, if paid in advance. No paper will be discontinued, except at the desire of the subscriber, until all bills are paid up. Advertisements will be inserted at 50 cents the square for the first week, and at a rate each week thereafter. The paper is published on Wednesdays and Saturdays, and is sold by all the letter carriers in the county, or they may be sent to the Editor.

## New Goods, FRESH, FASHIONABLE, AND CHEAPER THAN EVER!

ARE now opening at the subscriber's Store in Salisbury; consisting of  
**DRY GOODS**

of almost every description, suited to all seasons of the year. Also,

**GROCERIES,**  
Hardware and Cutlery,  
extensive in variety and amount,  
selected by himself with care, and  
bought for cash on the best terms, in Philadelphia and New York. The public are assured they will find a large and full supply, and lower for cash than usual, or otherwise on accommodating terms. They are respectfully invited to call, see fashions, examine qualities, hear prices and judge for themselves.

**JOHN MURPHY.**  
J. M. respectfully begs to return his unfeigned thanks for the very liberal and distinguished patronage he has been so highly honoured with, by a discerning public, and hopes, by a diligent attention, to merit a continuance of the same.  
Salisbury, Sept. 28, 1829. 86

**DANIEL H. CRESS.**  
HAS just received, and opened at his Store in Salisbury, a large and handsome assortment of  
**Spring and Summer GOODS;**  
Also, Groceries, Hardware, Cutlery, Plated Ware, Hats, and Hatters' Trimmings, Crockery, a good assortment of Boating Clothes, Shoes, Bonnets, and every article usually asked for in stores.  
His stock of goods has been purchased entirely for cash, and he is determined to sell them as low as can be had in the place, for cash, or to punctual customers on a short credit. The public are respectfully invited to call, examine, and judge for themselves.  
Salisbury, June 24, 1829. 70

**FOR SALE.**  
ONE of the most valuable plantations in the upper country. It lies in the county of Cabarrus, in the fork of Rocky river and Coddle Creek, containing about five hundred and seventy acres of land. The quality of the land is first rate, the soil deep, the surface level. There is about two hundred acres cleared, mostly fresh; a new, convenient and elegant dwelling-house, which cost nearly four thousand dollars, and other buildings suitable to it. The payments for this property can be made easy. Applications as to terms of sale, can be made to R. H. Alexander, at my absence.  
WM. J. ALEXANDER.

**Great Bargains!**  
THE subscriber's intention being to remove to the West, if possible in the spring, offers the following Property for sale, upon reasonable terms, namely:—  
300 acres of Land, lying in the Forks of the Yadkin, nine miles from Salisbury, adjoining Fred'k. Ford, Zachariah MacCee and others, on which are some improvements; and in fact, supposed to be equal to any Plantation in the county.  
Also, 26 or 30 acres Land, lying on Crane Creek, three quarters of a mile from town, adjoining John Utzman, Thomas Mull, and others, on which there are ten or twelve acres Meadow Ground, of first quality.  
Also a number of Stills and Tin Ware, for sale at his store in Salisbury.  
Also, a new and complete Stick GIG and Harness. For all which, good notes of hand, or negro property, will be received in payment.  
In exchange for, or in payment of, the above property, notes of hand on solvent persons, or negro property, will be received.  
Those who wish to buy, would do well to apply soon.  
EDWARD CRESS.  
Salisbury, Aug. 1st, 1829. 88

**Dan'l. Wood's Estate.**  
THE undersigned qualified at August sessions of Rowan county court, as the Executors of the last will of Dan'l. Wood: All persons indebted to said estate, are requested to make payment; and all persons having demands against the same, are requested to present them for settlement, or this notice will be pleaded in bar.  
WM. B. WOOD, Ex'rs.  
THOS. WOOD,  
August 19th, 1829. 3m93

**WAGONERS,**  
Driving to Fayetteville,  
WILL find it to their advantage, to stop at the Wagon Turf, where every convenience is provided for Man and Horse, to make them comfortable, at the moderate charge of 25 cents a day and night, for the privilege of the Turf, the use of a good house, fire, water, and stables. Attached to the Turf, are a Grocery and Provision Store, Bread Shop and Confectionary, and a House for Boarders and Lodgers, in a plain, cheap, wholesome and comfortable manner.  
Fayetteville, 1st April, 1828. 10

**A CARD.**  
**A. TORRENCE & Co.**  
HAVE removed to the north corner of the Court-House—the Store attached to the Mansion Hotel; where they are disposed to sell **GOODS** very low.  
Salisbury, September 18th, 1829. 85

**NEW GOODS.**  
THE subscriber has just received, from New York and Philadelphia, and is now opening, at his Store in CONCORD, a general assortment of  
**GOODS;**  
consisting of  
**Dry Goods, Hard Ware, Cutlery,**  
**Saddlery, Medicines, Paints, &c. &c.**  
Having purchased entirely for cash, and intending to sell for cash, he feels assured that he can sell on terms which will be satisfactory to those wishing to purchase.  
The public are respectfully invited to call and examine for themselves.  
**D. STORKE.**  
October 5th, 1829. 3mt100

**CHEAP NEW GOODS.**  
**GEORGE W. BROWN**  
IS now receiving from New York and Philadelphia, a choice and handsome assortment of  
**DRY GOODS,**  
Hardware, Crockery, Paints, Dye Stuffs, Boots, Shoes, Groceries, &c.;  
which were bought at reduced prices, and will be sold at a small profit, for cash, or on time to punctual dealers. Among the Groceries, are first quality  
**Tenard Wine, Old Muscatell ditto, Port ditto, Malaga ditto, Genuine Old Holland Gin, old Cognac Brandy, Jamaica and New England Rum;** together with every article usually found in a Store in this section of country.  
Persons wishing to purchase, will please call, and examine the above Goods.  
Salisbury, Sept. 28th, 1829. 6mt11

**Cheraw, S. C. Sept. 19, 1829.**  
THE subscriber will continue the Boating Business between this place and Charles on, via Georgetown, as heretofore; and will attend to the reception of Merchandise, and transportation of Cattle, and other produce committed to his charge. His Boats are of a light draft of water, and particularly adapted to the navigation of the river; and, with the assurance of the strictest attention to his charge, he hopes for a continuance of the patronage of his friends.  
**FOR SALE,**  
Salt, Sugar, Coffee, Molasses, Bagging, Bale Rope, Twine, &c.; which he offers at wholesale or retail.  
JOS. H. TOWNES.  
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**20,000 Acres of LAND FOR SALE.**  
LYING in the county of Surry, and, as is believed from recent discoveries, within the Gold Region of North-Carolina. This tract was granted by the State, in the year 1795; consists of one continuous survey, adjoining the county line of Wilkes, and extending from the Blue Ridge to within three miles of the Main Yadkin River. It is intersected for fifteen or twenty miles by Mitchell's river, affording an abundant supply of water-power at all seasons, and many sites convenient for the application of this power to the purposes of Machinery. Gold has lately been found in the neighborhood of this land, but its mineral treasures are in a great measure unexplored. Persons desirous to purchase, are referred to the Editor for more particular information, with whom the plat of this land is deposited.  
Salisbury, June 12th, 1829. 71

**LIST OF LETTERS REMAINING** in the Post Office at Statesville, N. Carolina, the 1st day of October, 1829.  
William J. Alexander  
James Alexander  
N. W. Alexander  
William Boiles  
James Crew  
Henry Erwin  
Henderson Forsyth  
Dr. Fitzgerald  
Willie Gaither  
William Gray  
William Gibson  
Henry Hicks  
Mary M. Hall  
William Harbin  
Benj. Huie  
Nicholas Icehour  
Baker Johnson  
Robert Kerr  
Henry C. Kerns  
Alex. Long  
Lewis Linebaugh  
Sec'y. M. Moriah Lodge  
John Miller  
Robt. McKay  
James McKenzie  
William McKay  
Polly C. McKee  
Sam. McFarland  
E. J. Osborne  
Steven Parker  
James Sumter  
Thomas Stevenson  
Jas. Smith  
Michael Snipes  
Astin W. Shince  
Richard Sparks  
Thomas Snider  
John Welch  
John Woolver.  
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W. KERR, P. M.

**Gold Mine for Sale.**  
THE subscriber has a Gold Mine, in the county of Cabarrus, which promises, as he believes, better than any other mine in the country; which he is disposed to sell, on the most accommodating terms. Persons, or companies, desirous of making a fortune at the business, would do well to apply soon to the subscriber, at Concord, Cabarrus county, N. C.  
JOSIAH W. WEDDINGTON,  
October 5th, 1829. 282

**Young Men's Missionary Society.**  
The Young Men's Missionary Society, within the bounds of the Presbytery of Concord, held their third annual meeting at Central Church, Iradell, on the 22nd of August, 1829. According to appointment, the annual Address was delivered by the Rev. Stephen Prentiss; after which, a collection was taken up, of 17 dollars.  
The Treasurer submitted a report; which was read, and accepted. The Board of Directors made their first written annual report; which was accepted, and ordered to be published.  
In view of the number of vacant Churches; their languishing condition; the wants and destitute condition of an extensive region within the bounds of the Presbytery of Concord; and the great importance of the Missionary enterprise, the Society entered into the following Resolutions, viz:—  
Resolved, that this Society raise, the present year, for the support of Missionaries, the sum of one thousand dollars.  
Resolved, that the Board of Directors adopt the ways and means to carry into effect the above resolution.  
Addresses were delivered on the occasion, by the Rev. Mr. J. D. Kilpatrick, T. Espy, J. J. Kilpatrick, H. N. Pharr, L. A. Watts.  
Rev. Thomas Espy, (with Rev. Josiah J. Kilpatrick for his alterate) was appointed to deliver the next anniversary address.  
Resolved, that the next annual meeting of the Society be held in Salisbury, on the Thursday before the 3d Sabbath in August, 1830.  
The following are the officers and members of the Board of Directors for the present year, viz:—  
Mr. Rufus H. Kilpatrick, President; Rev. Leander A. Watts, 1st Vice President; Rev. Thomas Espy, 2d Do.; Mr. Julius J. Reeves, Treasurer; Rev. Henry N. Pharr, Secretary, with Messrs. Archibald Bell, James Cowan, Milus Davidson, Robert Hill, Findly McCorkle, Robert McNeely, William McNeely, Hugh Parkes, John Steel, and Hugh T. Stewart, Board of Directors.

Resolved, that Rev. Mr. Espy, and our Secretary, be a committee to prepare and forward, for publication, an account of this meeting of the Society, with the annual report of the Board of Directors.  
HENRY N. PHARR, } Pub'g Com.  
THOMAS ESPY, }

N. B. All the local agents are requested to meet the Board of Directors, at Back Creek Church, on the Friday before the 4th Sabbath of November, at 12. M.  
U. N. PHARR, Sec'y of the Board.

**Report of the Board of Directors.**  
The Board of Directors of the Young Men's Missionary Society, in laying before the Society their first written annual report, look back upon their small beginnings with interest, and upon their present operations and prospects with some satisfaction, and much gratitude. That the Lord has smiled upon the existence and added a blessing to the efforts of the Society, your Board have many facts as proof, to which your attention will be called in the body of this report.

Since your Board has not at any former time presented a written report to the Society, we consider it proper now to give you as corrected a narrative, and as specific a statement of the operations of the Society and Board of Directors since their organization, as the difficulties of the case will permit. The Young Men's Missionary Society was formed at Third Creek Church on the 28th of October 1826.—a constitution was adopted, officers were chosen; a Board of Directors appointed, and agents for the Society in all the congregations in the bounds of the then Concord Presbytery.

These local agents soon acted with some efficiency in obtaining funds. The constitution provided for the appointment of a General Itinerant Agent. Mr. Rufus H. Kilpatrick was appointed to this important agency, with directions to visit the churches and present the object and claims of the infant society to the patronage of the friends of the Redeemer; to excite a missionary spirit and to collect funds—also, to visit that region in which the Society propose to carry on its operations; to obtain information respecting the number and condition of vacant churches and destitute neighbourhoods in which missionaries might be placed to stir up a missionary spirit and collect funds.

On the 19th of May 1827, the agent reported the fulfilment of his appointment. This report was full of interest to the Board. It opened to view a missionary field wide, extensive, destitute, and at the same time gave evidence of the interest

with which the Society was regarded, both among the churches, and in the wilderness.

By the efforts of the agents, funds enough were collected to support the Board to appoint a Missionary. Several ineffectual efforts were made to procure one. That the money already collected might be of some avail to the Society, the Board took the liberty of loaning it out at interest till a Missionary could be obtained.

This closes the account of the proceedings of the Board during the first year. As it appears on paper, but little has been done; but in fact much has been accomplished towards effecting the great object of the Society. The minds of christians had hitherto been but little excited on the subject of missions. That habit of cold indifference towards the wants of the destitute which says 'be ye warmed and be ye clothed,' had to be encountered and overcome; and an interest in the missionary enterprise excited among those who have always been satisfied when they have paid their penny to their pastor.

Doubts, fears, opposition, and the chilling indifference which freezes up the tender springs of life had to be contended with and overcome; and young men had to be brought into united benevolent action. We rejoice in having it in our power to say, that all these subjects have in some good degree, been effected.

The information communicated to the Board by the report of the Itinerant Agent determined the Board to send a Missionary to Asheville, Swannano, and Rhems Creek, three churches contiguous to each other in the county of Buncombe. But before a Missionary could be had, these vacancies were supplied without the aid of the Society.

It was not until the month of April 1828, that the Board succeeded in obtaining a Missionary. The services of Mr. Thomas Espy were obtained for 6 months at Siloam and Drusilla in the county of Burke. He commenced his labours on the first of May 1828.

The very period of his arrival on the field of labour is marked with interest. Rev. Messrs. Kerr and Silliman had been appointed by the Presbytery of Concord to meet and organize a new church in Burke County, to be called Siloam. These Brethren were engaged in this duty when our Missionary arrived. The organization of a new church in that region, constant preaching for three or four days; the administration of the Lord's Supper on ground for the first time consecrated by the exhibition of the sacramental host; and the presence of a missionary, with the promise of having for a time, and perhaps permanently the gospel steadily, all these gave an impulse to public feeling, which is still alive, and gaining, and created an interest in the subject of religion which would have required much labour from a single missionary to produce. Mr. Espy took measures immediately; and after some time and with labour succeeded in organizing a Sabbath School of 40 scholars, and a Bible class of 20 members, composed of old and young. This church was organized with 20 members and 4 Elders. 14 members were added at the first communion.

During the month of May, Mr. E. commenced labouring at Drusilla. This place had been destitute of preaching for 20 years. The House was gone to decay—the Elders were dead—the members scattered—and at the first communion season but 7 persons could be found who were members of the church. Mr. Espy succeeded here in forming a Sabbath School of 30 Scholars, and a Bible class of 20 members, old and young. He preached from twice to six times a week, attended regularly to family visitation—distributing Tracts, &c. At the end of six months his commission was renewed for six months longer. The whole year was spent in preaching as stated above; catechetical instruction in addition to the usual instructions of the Bible class and Sabbath School—visiting from house to house, and distributing Tracts to the amount of 8000 pages. The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered twice at each place during the year. 17 were hopefully added to the church of Siloam; these, with 14 added to the 25, with which the church was organized, leaves that church at the end of the first year of its existence with 59 members; a flourishing sabbath School and B. Class. At Drusilla 19 persons of hopeful piety were added to the communion of that church—these with 6 members composing the church at the commencement of the year leaves it reconstituted to 25; with a S. School and B. Class. In the view of the Board this station was too important in itself, and to the circumjacent church to remain unoccupied. The services of Mr. Josiah J. Kilpatrick were procured to labour at this station for two months.

The time, has not yet elapsed, which he was to spend in a report to the Board, which he will do so, as soon as he can. To close this report, and many other things, which the limits of this paper will not permit us to detail, we have to say, that the Board, with the aid of the friends of the Society, have been engaged in the preparation of a new tract, which will be published in the near future. All that we have to say, is, that we have a prospect of a new era in the history of the Society.

Respectfully submitted,  
HENRY N. PHARR.

The following letter to Judge Manwaring, furnished by the Itinerant Agent, will give you a more full and complete view of the progress of the Society, than can be given in this paper. The liberality of the Board, in its creditable to the people of the county, has more vision in it, even in the early stages of its progress, than in any other whom it has been made known to.

**Solomon Manwaring**  
mail before the last of the year, information of my removal of Register, and of the Arthur St. Clair, Esq. Apart from the chaotic removal indicates, I can cause I have been in office satisfy any man not over-ous. Besides, my dear when we were associated formation of our common firm stand against the do-ments during good be-then a young man, with-ences but further reflection even now when my peo-are concerned, have no mind on that subject. But appointments are limited tion, that incumbents ought to serve out the time, are appointed. They ac-with that expectation, and rangements accordingly, laxation is duty should be necessary. In my co-to inform you, that no de-is alleged.

I have land, and will go age of forty, with a con-hardly by much labor in d-vored with health; I can s-at defiance. Besides my-ing as they do the hardy-the German with the me-the Irish, can be employed-iliaries. Therefore refer-lost its force.

I have been perplexed with the whining complaint have been removed from opinions were not worth why ever entertain them that removals may operate hardship on some, but the not be without its benefic-ces. Every citizen should other means of procuring than that of a public offi-who have the lesson yet now see the necessity of s-Show this letter to my for-ber not to feel a single p-count; and so soon as my-rives, and we settle the con-vice, I will come and see to-I am with much respect, you-ROBERT

**The Saller at Auction.**  
evening sale, by auction, of lor, half seas-over, was v-troublesome. The auction-er vain tried to silence Mr. turn him out. Jack enir might stay long enough to 'I won't take your bid,' said eer. 'You will,' said Jack you—adieu."

A public house in the v-nistion, in Yorkshire, has sisting of portraits, at ful-in full costume, of four-as follows:—a king, a so-son and a farmer—and y'clept "The Four Alle-the mouths of his majes-words "I govern all," says, "I fight for all," says, "I pray for all," and finishes with "I pay for all



## LUNACY!

from Abraham Bradley, the Master General, exhibiting lunacy in every office to the Toby-Walsh almost invariably to be a matter of manners, of propriety, of manners, of propriety itself. Had there been any of Bradley's sweeping accusations against the latter would not our letter to the world, Mr. publishing the epistle, is at the looks upon Bradley

Sept. 23, 1829. friend Simpson was weeping, he was so distressed. I could not well tell on his own account, or on the account of your official affairs, a little heed to his feelings of sundry acts, of yours, which are unfitness for the Master General, and which lead to your fall, if known to the world, were told him with such a tone that they should be to you. No representation had then been made any step which the offspring of resentment reflection, howsoever have, it is my duty having a proper respect of his country, and having a due relation, to represent the

which prohibits the to any one who is public until the indebtedness. Being no longer your has now become my in due form, to the the Treasury, that you comment. I have also indebtedness, to the thousand dollars, is as and indisputable, as it is whatever that he well, as a lawyer, that exculpation, which late the Telegraph is equal common sense, common decisions of the Supreme Courts of the United

has always been my desire to pass smoothly of life, to avoid every that was practicable ends, and to do acts of kindness to all who came. But you was advised son, that the public is by you in payments and the amount of nearly thousand dollars; and hardly six months in

therefore, of making nations is no less indignant is unpleasant. I can therefore, that you will course since you have and resign a situation so entirely unfitted. law, that the President you from office; his five; and if he was de you, which I am cannot be, and should hesi in the present state of the country, bring on a engagement, which, altho it be too powerful and of its reaching maturi sion him inexpressible disturbance, too great for ears. You can, therefore, hold your station good, and ought, therefore, to give up the duty. This measure om the pain of being a yourself from the disavowal of adequate cause, and communication will then be. For whatever has no wish to depreciate tion of your friends, unpardonable, know to let the quarter pass, of the great contracts to come into your proper efforts for pre- Sir, your obedient ABM. BRADLEY, Esq., Master Gen.

that New England con- 60 splashes in their fac- counts for the long yards the Tariff.

## PRESIDENT JACKSON.

The following article is from the New York (N. Y.) Intelligencer. It will be found interesting, inasmuch as it professes, (correctly we have no doubt) to speak the sentiments of Gen. Jackson on the subject of removals from office, and alludes particularly to the case of Mr. Murry, the late consul at Liverpool. We ask the friends and foes of Gen. Jackson to read this article—it cannot but gratify his admirers, and, we should think, will be acceptable to those who honestly oppose his administration:

"Passing through your village, I was arrested, by its beauty, to remain a few days; and, taking up a paper at the Hotel, among many trite charges against the present administration, I perceived an attempt to bring up the case of Mr. Murry, late Consul at Liverpool. Being accidentally present when a friend of Mr. Murry's called on Gen. Jackson in May last, I unavoidably heard the conversation that ensued. I give you the whole, verbatim. The style of Gen. Jackson is truly his own, and unrivalled, as to the eloquence of the heart. Mr. B., of Virginia, spoke of the age and long services of Mr. Murry, his liberality and benevolence in supporting and protecting our unfortunate countrymen in England: Gen. Jackson replied:

"With respect to the consulate at Liverpool, the emoluments of that situation are great. I appreciate the character of Mr. Murry as highly as it deserves. I doubt not your statement, that a great part of his profits are applied to benevolent purposes. Our countrymen are proverbially prodigal in their bounties abroad. But, Sir, in the long period of thirty years, a considerable sum must have been abstracted to a view which I could not think he should wisely neglect: the support of his declining years in ease and independence: and where, Sir, let me ask you, could a patriot wish to spend those years?—(Here he quoted, which he seldom does, the apostrophe of Sir Walter Scott,

"Breathes there a man, with soul so dead, &c."

"I would not, Sir, for all the honor and wealth that office can bestow, spend ten years successively out of Tennessee, or, at least, alienate myself from the soil of America; and if Mr. M. does not feel those attachments—does not find with each year a lengthened and more onerous chain, drawing him towards his native land, he should not be entitled, at the expense of the country, which he nominally claims, to the emoluments of an office. If he does feel a patriotic love, his recall will awaken other feelings than prejudice, against me, for doing nothing in personal dislike, but all in unison with principles springing from love of that country, and a wish to restore what I conceive a fundamental right in popular governments, of claims.—But, Sir, my conscience acquiesces in personal prejudice. I shall go on, with public good in view, fearless, and careless of such consequences as personal spleen, awakened by avarice, may produce. I hope to see Mr. Murry; and as a faithful public agent, give him my hand, having no hereditary or life office. With respect to valuable public servants, should they become indigent from circumstances where no improvidence is chargeable, I think they have a lien for faithful beneficial services, upon the public for protection against want; and I have no doubt they will find, at all times, the legislative bodies willing to assist them. I feel no cowardly anticipations of hostility. I do not expect to please every body. I may frequently be disappointed in changes made from the best motives; those motives must console me in such an event; and the reflection that the wisest are but fallible beings, will enforce caution in the men and measures I may appoint, or propose."

Mr. B. shook hands with the President, on retiring; and Mr. —, of Boston, endeavored to revive the personal abuse, and vilifying, atrocious calumnies of the adverse papers, upon which Gen. Jackson observed:

"A sense of innocence preserved me from intemperance, under certainly the severest calumnies, and the most vindictive aspersions that any canvass ever gave birth to—but his past—and the gratitude of a free and enlightened people have cancelled all the injuries a faction inflicted. I felt as an American, at first, that the character of the country, through its own press, would be vilified abroad, and its consequences deprecated in the opinion of other patriots, upon the dignity of this first of Republics; but consoled myself with the hope, that its excessive licentiousness would react in a salutary limitation by the people themselves, of its libellous propensities. You may suppose that my love for Mrs. Jackson excited the most violent indignation at the slanders heaped up her—it did. Here, Sir, all the feelings of my bosom were lacerated. No man whose feelings are not as intense as mine, can imagine my suffering;—But let them sleep. Yet, there is one scoundrel! I hold an alien to every principle, human or divine, who aspersed her in an obituary notice; this wretch

\*Supposed to be Charles King, editor of the New York American.

sinks beneath my punishment, yet I never can bear his name with composure."

You will oblige me by giving these remarks a place in your paper.

## A NEW HAMPSHIRE MAN.

P. S. It may be thought that I am returning from Washington with a commission in my pocket; but I assure you I visited Washington with no such motive. I did not vote for Gen. Jackson nor Mr. Adams, neither being my choice; and my first visit to Washington in May, was to see the capital, and the men whom I believed totally disqualified for President. I return, Sir, to assure my friends they have nothing to fear; and can safely advise them, that Andrew Jackson would not pluck a hair of Malee to give to Louisiana. Every section of the Union will be dealt with alike. The man's motto is *Fiat Justitia*; you may read it in his countenance.

## THE PROVINCE OF TEXAS.

Perhaps nothing that we could select would excite in so universal a degree the interest, and awake so extensively the feelings of the western people, as the acquisition of this province. Lying upon the borders of the new and flourishing settlements of the South-western States; possessing a climate salubrious, healthful and pleasant; comprising in its extensive area every variety of soil capable of supplying in abundance, the rarest and most valuable productions; supplied with noble and navigable streams, with an extended line of sea coast indented with bays, harbors and inlets; and spotted with islands; variegated in its external surface with hills and dales, with perennial mountains and sparkling streams of pure water; containing in its subterranean recesses mines of all the precious metals—this province is naturally looked to with wishful eagerness by the American people. It is just that it should be so, and the American President who annexes this fair region to the already extensive territory of this Union, will place a wreath of unfading splendour upon his own brows. We hope this distinguished honor is reserved to Andrew Jackson; and that his destiny may be, to continue a parallel line of conduct to the end which has already associated his name with that of the illustrious Jefferson.

That these fair and extensive provinces once belonging to this country cannot be doubted—that they were abandoned, lost and sacrificed by Mr. Adams, is equally clear.

**Celebration at Niagara.**—A gentleman who witnessed the performances at the Falls, on the 6th inst. has communicated to the editors of the New York Commercial the following particulars:—About 3 o'clock, the schooner Superior appeared in sight, towed by a small boat. When within a short distance of the rapids, the small boat made for the shore. The Superior came down in the centre of the channel, between Goat Island and the Canada shore. On the first plunge into the rapids, the masts of the schooner fell overboard, with a crash—she then dragged down a few rods, and stuck fast on a rock, to the great disappointment of the many thousand spectators who crowded the banks of these mighty waters. There is no doubt the vessel would have reached the great cataract without any other injury than the loss of the masts, had she not unfortunately come down the very shallowest part of the channel.

We also learn that, on the next day, Mr. Patch made a jump down a distance of a hundred feet, but we are not informed from what point.

**Extract of a letter from Rio de Janeiro, dated Aug. 1:**

"The Marquis of Palma, who went to Europe on the 20th June, in the Brazilian frigate Maria Isabella, has been charged by the Emperor to settle the affairs of Portugal. There is a report here, which is generally credited, that the Emperor has at length given up the idea and waived his right to grant a Constitutional Charter to Portugal; and that on this condition both Spain and England will compel Don Miguel to leave Portugal and restore that Kingdom to its legitimate sovereign; and that these Powers will guarantee to the Infant Don Miguel the enjoyment of the revenue of the Casa de Infantado."

**Friends' Bible Society.**—The National Gazette states that the Society of Friends have organized a Bible Society, under the title of "Bible Association of Friends in America." They intend to publish an octavo edition of the bible, in large type and on fine paper for general distribution.

**A long Memory.**—Mr. Clay has travelled three hundred miles to the Green River County to eat a public dinner, but his appetite was sadly balked, when, instead of a dinner, they presented him with the followed resolution which he introduced in Congress in the year 1805.

"Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives, That provision ought to be made by law for coercing the payment of so much of the principal and interest of the debt owing by the settlers south of Green River as has become due."

**Com. Porter.**—The following highly complimentary letter was addressed to Com. Porter by the President of Mexico, on his leaving that country.

Agust Don David Porter.

My Dear Sir: By your attentive note, I am informed of the determination you have come to, to retire to the United States and to the bosom of your family, considered as you are at this moment, that you cannot be of service to the Republic.

I give you thanks, in the name of my country, for the very important services you have rendered it, during your command in our Marine, and I do not doubt, whatever events may occur, you will show the same generosity as you have done before, towards a country in which you may count on many and true friends.

I remain, with the highest consideration, your friend, who kisses your hand.

V. GUERRERO.

Mexico, August 14, 1829.

**Egyptian Mummy.**—"The Leeds Intelligencer of a late date makes mention of an Egyptian Mummy, which was presented to the Philosophical Society of that City, by the late John Blake, Esq. and which has recently undergone a complete examination by that body. On unfolding the bandages in which the body was wrapped, there was discovered a copper plate with hieroglyphics engraved thereon, the interpretation of which made known the business and character of the deceased, and the time and place at which the body was embalmed. The time proved to be during the reign of Manasses the 6th, called by the Greeks Menophis, of the dynasty of Sesosthis. Manasses was the eighteenth of the Egyptian Kings, and ascended the throne 1493 years before the birth of Christ; the body, therefore, lived contemporaneously with Moses. The engraving also states, that the deceased was an incense burner and secretary of the relics of the God Mandon at Thebes; which situation he occupied about 8000 years ago."

**Pork.**—A correspondent of the Petersburg Intelligencer, speaking of the paragraph concerning Western Park, says that one person alone, from that place, has bought several lots, amounting to no fewer than 10,000 hogs, all of which are now, or soon will be, on their way to that and the Richmond markets. Feeding along the road never was so cheap; and this circumstance alone, will bring down large droves—all other statements to the contrary notwithstanding.

**New Map of the United States.**—We learn from the Daily Advertiser of yesterday, that Abraham Bradley, Esq. recently employed in the Post-office department, has issued proposals to publish a Map of the United States on a new plan. Mr. Bradley is doubtless well qualified for such an undertaking. Acquainted, from personal experience in the department, with all our mail routes, he can add much additional information to the geography of the country. N. Y. Cour.

**Wm. Prince.**—proprietor of the Linngan Botanic Garden and Nurseries, near New York, will forward catalogues of his establishment gratis, to any persons who desire them. A line per mail will suffice; and such editors as chuse will please copy this notice.

The U. S. sloop Vincennes, is to circumnavigate the globe on her return to the United States from Valparaiso. She will pass the islands in the Pacific and Chinese Seas, visit some of the principal commercial emporiums in Southern Asia, and call at the Cape of Good hope.

**The Georgetown, (S. C.) Intelligencer,** of the 7th inst. says, "Two little negroes were burnt to death on the plantation of Mr. Francis Withers, last week. During the absence of the mother, the negro house in which they were, took fire, and was consumed, together with the two children."

**Penitentiary System.**—We learn from the Milledgeville Recorder, that the labor of the convicts confined in the Georgia Penitentiary has been found sufficient to defray the expenses of that Institution, the present year, and that although the Legislature had appropriated a sum of money for its support, it has been found unnecessary to draw from the Treasury any part of it.

**The New-York Commercial Advertiser** says that water of an excellent quality, has been obtained in that city by boring fifty feet to the rock, and four hundred feet through the solid rock below the surface. The water rises eighteen feet above the surface of the rock, and within thirty feet of the level of the street. Such is the supply that thirty gallons a minute have been raised by a hand pump throughout the day, without any apparent diminution of the supply.

The Treasury of the State of Vermont has been broken open, and a bag of pistareens stolen.

## NOTICE:

NOVEMBER 6, 1829.

non the western candidate, Agreeing of the Members of the Anson Bar, and Officers of the Court, on Friday, the 10th October, A. D. 1829, John Gilchrist, Esq. was called to the Chair; and Jno. A. McKee, Esquire, Secretary; when the following resolution was offered and unanimously adopted:

Resolved, In testimony of our high regard for the Honorable JOHN GILES, a distinguished Member of this Bar, that John B. Kelly, and George C. Mendenhall, Esq. be appointed a committee for and on behalf of this meeting, to wait upon and request him to partake of a dinner, to be furnished for the occasion.

In pursuance of the preceding resolution, the following note was addressed to Mr. Giles:

To the Honorable Jno. Giles:

Sir: We, as a committee for and on behalf of the Members of the Anson Bar, and Officers of the Court, are authorized to solicit the pleasure of your company at a Dinner, to be furnished at *Buon's Long Room*, this day, at one o'clock,—this being the last opportunity of testifying our personal attachment and high regard for your private virtues and distinguished talents as a member of the Anson Bar, before your departure for Washington City, to attend to the public affairs of the nation, as a Representative in the next Congress of the United States, from from the 10th Congressional District of North Carolina: And we beg you to receive our individual congratulations on the present occasion; and rest assured, it affords us great pleasure to have been the organs selected to evidence the high regard entertained for you.

With sentiments of the highest respect and esteem, we remain yours, &c.

JNO. B. KELLY, GEO. C. MENDENHALL,

October 6, 1829.

To which the following reply was received: *Wadeboro', Oct. 16, 1829.*

GENTLEMEN: Your letter, covering a resolution of the Members of the Anson Bar, has been received. I will do myself the pleasure of meeting my brothers of the Bar. I am not vain enough to attribute the sentiments of respect contained in the resolution, to any merit of my own, but to the good feeling and friendship which, on all occasions, has marked our intercourse at the Bar. Long shall I cherish the recollection, that during the whole course of my practice at the Anson Bar, there has happened no one occurrence to interrupt our harmony. Next to the approbation of my own conscience, is a knowledge of the fact, that my conduct has been approved by my Brother Lawyers.

Gentlemen, we must separate for a time; but I shall carry with me a recollection of the many pleasing days which we have passed in the society of each other. Be pleased, gentlemen, to accept, for yourselves and those whom you represent, the homage of my heart, whose every pulse beats in union with your best interests.

Most respectfully, your obt. servant,

JOHN GILES.

Messrs. Jno. B. Kelly and George C. Mendenhall, Esqs. }

At the above mentioned Dinner, a number of appropriate, sentimental Toasts were given;—and among others, the following, prepared for the occasion:

"Our respected Brother, Jno. Giles, Esq. distinguished alike in the walks of private and public life, for urbanity and correct deportment; the warmest wishes of the Brethren of the Bar accompany him to the honorable station to which he has been called by the free voice of an enlightened People."

**More fruits of Horse-racing.**—Team Chery, aged 18, son of a respectable man in Edgecombe county, in this state, was thrown from his horse while running a jockey race on the 10th ult. and was killed instantaneously! Take warning, young men—(and old ones, too) and forswear the dangerous, foolish, undignified, and useless practice!

**North Carolina.**—It is said, that of the 20 members which compose the Senate of Tennessee, twelve (more than half) are from North Carolina, six from Virginia, one from Rhode Island, and only one a native of Tennessee.

**Removals.**—We would refer the candid reader, of whatever political creed he may be, to an article in this day's Carolinaian, giving the opinions of President Jackson on the subject of removals from office. It will be seen that he does not remove faithful, deserving officers, for mere opinion's sake: the noise of the Toby-Watkins party on the subject, is all rattle. It is said to be a fact, well ascertained, that two-thirds of the offices in the gift of the General Government, are actually, at this time, held by persons who were decided partisans of the Adams and Clay dynasty. This is a most effectual refutation of the ceaseless cry of *Proscription*, which is kept up by the malecontents.

**South American Gold Mines.**—Com. Porter, while in Mexico, travelled 80 miles out of his way to make a personal inspection of the Te-mascalepec and Vanuxen Gold Mines in that country: he reports, that they are under the most economical and efficient management. Many citizens of the United States are interested in these mines: and Com. P. made an inspection for their especial satisfaction and benefit; thus evincing an ardent desire to serve his countrymen, whenever fortune assigns him [sic]



**Cotton Canvas.**—The commissioners of the navy have advertised for 13,769 yards of cotton canvas, to be delivered at Norfolk, for the use of the Navy. We are pleased to see this early evidence of the determination of the Navy Department to make an effective experiment of the relative value of Cotton and Hemp Duck, for the use of the Navy.

heartless and a cold blooded proceeding leaving the Greeks substantially, the vast sale and tributaries of Turkey, and who hope the Emperor Nicholas will pay little attention to it in any terms he may agree to with the Turk. Russia was understood to persist in her demands of an

Newbern, Oct. 24....Cotton 7.25 to 7.50, flour 6.50 to \$7, wheat 1.00 a \$1, bacon 5 to 6, salt 8¢ to 100, peach brandy 75, apple do. 40 a 45, whiskey 35.

## THE MARKETS.

either to myself or others in Charleston.  
**HENRY W. GONNER**

EDWARD CRESS.  
October 31st, 1829. 3193

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attendance will be given. **MIRIAM GUY.**  
October 6, 1939. 3691



**Gold Washing Machine.**  
NOTICE.—This is to notify the public in general, that having acquired from the Department of State of the United States a patent for the Machine for Washing, Cleaning and Separating Gold dust, consisting of a Funnel, Trunk and Spout, I hereby forewarn all persons from using or making said Machines without my permission.  
RICHARD LEE.  
Rutherford Co. Sept. 10th, 1829.

**Committed to the Jail.**  
IN Salisbury, N. C. on the 19th October, 1829, a Negro man, who calls his name NED, and says he belongs to Col. Arthur, living about three miles from Columbia, S. Carolina. He appears to be 50 years old, is 5 feet 10 or 11 inches high, black complexion, stout built, third finger on right hand a little crooked and stiff, caused by a rope; no other marks perceptible; says he left home about 10th of August last. The owner is desired to prove property, pay charges, and take him away.  
F. SLATER, S. J.  
Oct. 17th, 1829.

**To Cotton Ginners.**  
THE subscriber having been frequently solicited by his old customers, again to establish the *Gins Making Business*, has opened his shop in Salisbury, where he is prepared to make and repair Gins, of the very best materials, in a superior style of workmanship, and on terms the most accommodating, even in these hard times.  
Having been engaged in the business six or seven years; employing a part of his time for three or four of the last seasons in picking cotton, for the express purpose of more fully acquainting himself with the principles and practical operation of these useful machines; and having recently visited South Carolina, where the most improved Gins are in use, with the view of examining them, and making himself acquainted with the plan on which they are constructed, &c.;—he therefore feels assured, that by his enlarged experience, thus acquired, in making and repairing Gins, and picking cotton, he can construct Machines superior to any ever done in North Carolina.  
Those wishing work done in this line of business, are respectfully invited to call on the subscriber, witness the plan and execution of his work, examine and judge for themselves. He will spare no pains in supplying himself with the best materials to be had in the country; and will make and repair Gins, according to orders received, on short notice and reasonable terms. All those who may please to call on him, will find him either at his shop or dwelling in Salisbury, ready to execute any job with which they may be pleased to favor him.  
SAMUEL FRALEY.  
Salisbury, Aug. 6, 1829.

**State of North Carolina.**  
ROWAN county, August sessions, 1828: John Etchison, Administrator of John Black, dec'd. vs. the heirs at law of Jacob Black, dec'd.; Justices' execution, levied on Lands. It appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that Adam Black, Polly Etchison, Daniel Black, Ann Sweet, and Daniel Black, Guardian for William Black; are not inhabitants of this state; on motion of the plaintiff, by counsel, ordered that publication be made in the Western Carolinian for six weeks, that unless the said defendants appear at the next court to be held for the county of Rowan, at the Court-house in Salisbury, on the third Monday in November next, and answer said petition, judgment will be entered for the plaintiff's demand, and execution awarded accordingly. 6192. JOHN GILES, clk.

**State of North Carolina, Davidson county.**  
COURT of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, August term, 1829. Joseph Clark vs. Frederick Craver: Original attachment; Jacob Cook summoned as garnishee. In this case it appearing to the satisfaction of the court, that the defendant, Frederick Craver is not an inhabitant of this state, it is therefore ordered by the court, that publication be made six weeks successively in the Western Carolinian, printed in Salisbury, for the said Frederick Craver to be and appear before the justices of our court of pleas and quarter sessions, to be held for the county of Davidson aforesaid, at the court-house in Lexington, on the 2d Monday in November next, then and there to reply or plead, otherwise judgment final will be entered against him, for the plaintiff's debt and costs. Witness David Mock, clerk of our said court, at office, the 2d Monday of August, Anno Domini, 1829.  
6192. D. MOCK, clk.

**State of North Carolina, Mecklenburg county.**  
SUPERIOR Court of Law; May term, 1829: Eliza Cox vs. William Cox: Petition for Divorce. Ordered by the court, that publication be made for three months successively in the Western Carolinian and Yedkin and Catawba Journals, that the defendant be and appear at the next superior court of law to be held for the county of Mecklenburg, at the court-house in Charlotte, on the 6th Monday after the fourth Monday in September next, and plead or answer to the plaintiff's petition, or the same will be heard ex parte. Witness, Samuel Henderson, clerk of our said court, at office, the 7th Monday after the 4th Monday in March, 1829.  
3007. SAM'L. HENDERSON, c. m. s. c.

**SONNET ON A ROAST PIG.**  
Thus wert this morning as a lily fair, [hole, When I peep'd at thee through the pantry key-  
Not hating and the fire's excessive glare,  
Thou wast as pure as a quadruped Creole,  
Still thou art lovely, and an epicure  
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FROM THE NEW YORK COURIER AND ENQUIRER.  
Andrew Jackson.—It is a peculiar advantage of republican institutions, that under their protection the high road to affluence and power is thrown open to friendless genius and to talent, though unsupported by the patronage of the great. In a country blessed with civil liberty, no distinctions between men are required, save those which nature has herself created—there is no bloated aristocracy, whose pretensions are measured by the weight of purse or the length of pedigree—there are no degenerate sons of virtuous fathers, who find in ancestral fame, not merely a refuge from disgrace, but a claim to honor and respect;—the relative value of men depends on their moral or intellectual power; their private or public usefulness; and but few instances present themselves in which mediocrity meets with unmerited reward, whilst genius is left to languish in poverty and neglect. If any doubt could exist of the truth of the foregoing remark, it would be dispelled by a cursory examination of the career of those men who have, in America, fulfilled the noblest object of human ambition, and inscribed their names on the tablet of their country's history. We might, without tasking our memory to the utmost of its powers, furnish numerous examples of talent and virtue, born and nurtured in obscurity, which, at the fortunate moment of their production, have brought to their possessors the rich and ample harvest of a nation's gratitude; but of the many within our reach we shall select but one—that of the distinguished individual whose name is written above and whose character will form the subject of the following observations.  
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the man, the soldier, and the statesman.  
At that critical period of human existence, when the necessity of physical control is deemed most urgent, Andrew Jackson was thrown forward upon the world, to gather wisdom from the lessons of experience, and with her harsh and severe teachings without their value or effect. They tended to develop that decision of character so indispensable to the correct discharge of public duty, and they called into life those hidden germs of genius which, without their quickening influence, might have perished unknown and unregarded. It was not in the lap of luxurious indulgence that that mind was matured and that courage tempered, which were destined at a future day to shine with such brilliancy on the one side, in a spirit of savage rancour and persecution; on the other, with unshaken constancy and indomitable valor, was the school in which, the young aspirant for renown, was taught the rudiments of the military art.—Inured at an early age to danger and privation, he learnt to rely with confidence on his mental energies and to find in his own heart resources, commensurate with emergency; and although, at the period, too young to do more than follow in the track where others led, yet the dauntless resolution of the boy, was no unmeaning presage of the future glories of the man.  
When the restoration of peace had effectually closed the career of arms against further exertion, it became necessary for Andrew Jackson to turn his attention to some civil employment. The piety of a mother had destined him to the ministry, but happily for America the wisdom of a son made another, and a more judicious selection. Of those pursuits which are thrown open to men of industry, talent and education, there is none which presents a wider range of thought, or exerts a stronger and more salutary influence on the mind, than the profession of the law. Intimately connected with the science of government, it leads the student to the constant consideration of those great and immutable principles, which form the ground work of social polity; and, by cherishing a habit of keen and subtle discrimination, gives exercise and vigor to the faculties of memory, judgment and perception. Nor do its advantages terminate here—the practical lawyer is hourly brought in contact with men of all ranks and of all characters. The theatre of his exertions is a world in itself, where we behold the wise and the weak—the industrious and the idle, the moral and the profligate, seeking the establishment of a right, or the palliation of a wrong. A thorough acquaintance with the human heart in all its beauty and deformity, is the necessary result of this close and constant association with men of every class and degree, and although the acquisition of this knowledge is often attended with toil and difficulty and disgust, yet its utility will, in the end, more than compensate for every evil suffered in its attainment.  
But however high, or deserved, may have been his reputation at the bar, it is not as a lawyer, or as an advocate, that the subject of the present sketch has any claim to general consideration and applause. It is sufficient for our purpose to have indicated the study of jurisprudence as one of the sources from which he drew those "treasures of the mind," which subsequently led to his political elevation. We shall hasten therefore, to view him in another and far different light—pleading the cause of his country, not before a limited audience, but before God and the world,—not with the eloquence of the tongue, but with the more persuasive eloquence of the sword.  
The year 1812, found the American people divided on a question involving the safety and honor of the republic. The justice, or expediency of war with England, at that juncture, though vehemently supported by a majority of the nation, was yet doubted, or denied, by a powerful minority. This disunion in council was unhappily productive of disunion in action, and whilst the high toned federalists in the East stood aloof from a contest which their conscience or their wisdom disapproved, the republicans of the West, less scrupulous in heart and less fortunate in position, were left to encounter the full force of a desolating border-war. At this moment of doubt and peril and anxiety, when the strength of our civil institutions was to

be tried and the military reputation of our forefathers was to be vindicated, Gen. Jackson, with an ill-repentive eye, saw the "signs of the times." He felt that the kindling coals were in his bosom, which twenty years of peace had dimmed, but not quenched, and with the prophetic eye of genius, foresaw in distant perspective his battles and his triumphs. We have the authority of the first General of the age for believing, that the warrior like the poet, derives his inspiration immediately from Heaven. *Nascitur non fit*, is as applicable to the one as the other. The study of books may form a Mack, never a Napoleon, and where nature has failed in bestowing a portion of the "sacred fire," even length of service becomes labor without end and without result. The claims of Andrew Jackson to a distinguished place among the gifted few whom nature, formed for battle fields, will not be resisted by him who has studied with attention the history of his victorious campaigns. In common with all celebrated commanders, he appears to have possessed the power of vigorous conception and rapid execution; nor was the art denied him of inspiring his soldiery with a large portion of his own fearless confidence—a confidence not founded in over-weening presumption, which despises a danger it cannot perceive, but based on a thorough and just estimate of his own strength and resources. The two first years of his military service found him opposed to an enemy without civilization, but not without discipline.—They had formed to themselves a system of tactics, as well suited to their national character as to the nature of the country they defended. Hid in the depth of their forests, and surrounded by marshes and swamps almost impenetrable to man, it was with mingled terror and admiration, that they beheld these natural advantages of position vanish before the genius of their ardent and persevering foe. In vain they had recourse to those arts, which, on former occasions, had proved fatal to Harmer and St. Clair—their plans were baffled by the rapidity of his march, and their ambuscades turned to their own destruction, until at last, exhausted by their efforts and humbled by repeated defeats, they received at the hands of the victor, a peace which they scarcely deserved.  
But whatever may have been the danger and difficulty of the Indian war, or the courage and skill displayed in affording the one and surmounting the other, they would never have extended the fame of the conqueror beyond the limits of the territory immediately benefitted by his successful operations. Providence had, however, decreed, that he should reap another and a richer harvest of glory. To his care was entrusted the safety of Louisiana, menaced with British invasion, and the 8th of January beheld the fulfilment of the trust—the triumph of America, and the humiliation of England. We will not dwell on events, familiar, even to those who possess but a limited knowledge of their country's history. Party spirit, ever blind in its rage, and unjust in its aspersions, has since sought to attribute that success to the valour of the soldier which was due to the genius of the commander, but the impartial decision of history will be, that the chief was worthy of the army, and army of its chief.

**Mice.**—A lady at the west end of the city recently visited her store closet, where were deposited sundry pies and other good things. One pie was covered with a plate, which was pushed off a little ways, and a hole in the top exciting the lady's curiosity, she raised the crust, and there all snug and cozy, lay five living mice, but a day or two old. The poor things lived only about 12 hours after their separation from their mother, whose too great kindness, as often happens among other orders of beings, proved their destruction. *Boston Patriot.*

**Gen. Lafayette.**—It is stated in a letter from Paris, published in the Essex Register, that Lafayette had recently travelled much in France, and was every where received with enthusiasm and respect, and he took every occasion to express his opinions in favor of liberal principles. We are gratified to learn (says the Register) that his pecuniary fortune has been recently enhanced by the recovery of a considerable amount of property which had been in litigation in the French Courts for many years.

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**Woman.**—Francis I. of France, was the first monarch who introduced ladies at his Court. He said, in a style of true gallantry: That a drawing-room without ladies was like the year without the spring; or rather, the spring without flowers.  
At no time of life should a man give up the thoughts of enjoying the society of woman. "In youth," says Lord Bacon, "women are our mistresses, at a riper age our companions, in old age our nurses, and in all ages our friends."  
Fontenelle being one day asked by a lord in waiting at Versailles, what difference there was between a clock and a woman, instantly replied "a clock serves to point out the hours, and a woman to make us forget them."  
"I have always remarked," says the celebrated Ledyard, "that women in all countries are civil, obliging, tender and humane. To a woman, whether civilized or savage, I never address myself in the language of decency and friendship, without receiving a decent and friendly answer. With man it has often been otherwise. In wandering over the barren plains of inhospitable Denmark, through honest Sweden, and frozen Lapland, rude and barbarous Finland; unprincipled Russia; and wide spread regions of the wandering Tartar, if hungry, dry, cold, wet, or sick, the women have ever been friendly to me, and uniformly so; and to add to this virtue, (so worthy the appellation of benevolence) these actions have been performed in so free and kind a manner, that if I was dry, I drank the sweetest draught, and if hungry, I ate the coarsest morsel with a double relish."

**An Important Convention.**—A Convention of delegates from the several Bible Societies in S. C. is to be held in Columbia, on the 25th of November next. The object of the meeting is to adopt measures to supply every destitute family in the State, with a copy of the Holy Scriptures within the period designated by the Am. Bible Society, to supply all the destitute in the United States.

**Remedy for poisoned Sheep.**—Put a table spoon-full of fine salt into the mouth of the poisoned sheep or lamb, and hold the jaws together till a sufficiency of it is swallowed; or, the salt may be dissolved in water and administered in the liquid form. The cure is immediate and sure. A farmer, who has tried this remedy for several years, has never lost a sheep or lamb since he first adopted it. *Mass. Spy.*

**The Bible Cause.**—The Bible Society of York district, S. C. have undertaken to supply all the destitute families, within their bounds, and have employed for that purpose, an efficient agent.

**Missionaries.**—On Thursday evening, 24th ult. at the Park street Church, in Boston, twelve young gentlemen were ordained as Missionaries, and two as Evangelists. Eight of them are destined for the Western States.

A glass of brandy and water a day is equal to \$25 a year.